GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:821
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RECONSTITUTION OF STATE SEED SUB-COMMITTEE OF HORTICULTURE
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether a proposal for reconstitution of State Seeds Sub-Committee of Horticultural crops is pending for a long time;

(b) if so, the reasons for such a long pendency; and

(c) the time by which the matter is likely to be expedited?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI SHRIPAD Y. NAIK)

(a) to (c): Central Sub Committee on Crop Standards Notification & Release of Varieties for Horticultural crops at Central level and State Seed Sub-Committee for Horticultural Crops at State level are Sub-Committees of the Central Seed Committee and these Committees are co-terminus with Central Seed Committee.

Central Seed Committee has been constituted vide Government of India Gazette S.O.No.576(E) dated 21st June,2001 for a period of two years i.e. 21.06.2001 to 20.06.2003.

Order for reconstituting the Central Sub-Committee on Crop Standards Notification & Release of Varieties for Horticultural crops (Central level Committee) has been issued vide Order No.17-17/2001-SD.IV dated 25th June,2001.

State Governments have been advised to reconstitute their respective State Seed Sub-Committee for Horticultural crops for the year 2001-2003 and submit their recommendations for the approval of Central Seed Committee.